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SERIAL NO: 10/589,189 :  
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FOR: CARBON FIBER PRECURSOR :  
FIBER BUNDLE, PRODUCTION :  
METHOD AND PRODUCTION DEVICE :  
THEREFOR, AND CARBON FIBER AND :  
PRODUCTION METHOD THEREFOR :

AMENDMENT

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
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SIR:

Further to the Amendment filed on July 26, 2010, Applicants submit the following remarks together with a certified partial English translation of the priority document in the present application, i.e., JP 2004-037410.

**Remarks** begin on page 2 of this paper.